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surfactant system, or as microemulsions of said bleach activator in a matrix comprising water, the aromatic-aliphatic diacyl peroxide, the second peroxygen bleach and a hydrophilic surfactant system.--

Please replace the paragraph at page 17, lines 18-25, with the following rewritten paragraph:

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--The preferred making of the microemulsions of the present invention includes premixing the surfactants with water and subsequently adding the other ingredients including the aromatic-aliphatic diacyl peroxide, the second peroxygen bleach, e.g., hydrogen peroxide, and other ingredients like a bleach activator if present. Irrespective of this preferred order of addition, it is important that during the mixing of the ingredients, the microemulsions be constantly kept under stirring under relatively high stirring energies, preferably 30 minutes at 750 rpm, most preferably 30 minutes at 1000 rpm.--

**In the Claims:**

Please add the following claims 12-15:

--12. (New) A method for removing stains from fabrics and improving fabric color safety, said method comprising the step of contacting a soiled fabric with an aqueous liquid bleaching composition comprising:

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1) from 0.05% to 10%, by weight of the composition, of a stain removal and fabric color improving agent consisting essentially of a diacyl peroxide of general formula

